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**Date:** June 13, 2016

**To:** City of Avondale Youth Advisory Commission (AYAC)

**From:** Christopher Lopez, Youth Development Coordinator, Neighborhood and Family  
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**Subject:** Meeting Notes – June 13, 2016

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The AYAC regular meeting was held on Monday, June 13, 2016

The following members were in attendance:

Joseph Simeri  
Nikki Tran  
Roman Sierra  
Jesus Tapia  
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Vaithaya Pholthip  
Simone Foster  
Elizabeth De La Cruz  
Narmeen Ghazawneh

The following staff members were in attendance:

Chris Lopez

The following guest(s) attended the meeting:

Jalen Nelson  
Kindyl Minalek  
Emilee Storasha  
Vanessa Gutierrez  
Riley Roberts

The following topics were discussed:

**Welcome Guests**

**Approval of Minutes and Attendance – Approved**

**Officer Elections** – AYAC members unanimously approved the following members to serve as officer for the new fiscal year beginning on July 1, 2016: Roman Sierra, Chair; Gloria Jozwiki Vice Chair; Monica Luna, Membership; Hunter Secrest, Public Relations

**AZ League Youth Program** – Staff provided information regarding the upcoming League Youth Program offered through the League of Arizona Cities & Towns Conference scheduled to be held on Wednesday, August 24<sup>th</sup> in Scottsdale, Arizona. Staff asked member to consider attending. Volunteers will be accepted during the June 27<sup>th</sup> meeting. Participating member will be required to complete all required forms. Roman Sierra, AYAC Member provided new AYAC members with an overview and encouraged new and existing members to attend.

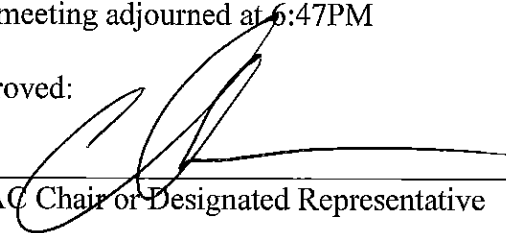
**Senior Recognition Awards** – Staff presented Nikki Tran with an award in recognition for her dedicated service to the Avondale Youth Advisory Commission.

**Fundraiser Discussion** – AYAC members held a discussion regarding possible fundraising options for occur within the next few months. Option that were suggested included: Jamba Juice, Main Event, Yogurtland Chick-fil-a and Gus's Pizza. Member will conduct research and report back during the next meeting.

**New Business** – None

The meeting adjourned at 6:47PM

Approved:

  
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AYAC Chair or Designated Representative